

Flood Waters Spill Over More Farmland In South

Predict Army Of Homeless Will Keep Growing

By The Associated Press
Flood waters spilled across more farmland in the south Friday, and engineers predicted the army of 35,000 homeless would continue to grow.

Meanwhile, a new blast of frigid air whistled into the northern plains from Canada and spread south and eastward.

Rising tributaries of the Mississippi river engulfed more cotton land in flood-plagued Louisiana. Guardsmen manning amphibious "ducks" churned through swamps and bays to whisk lowland residents from the spreading path of flood waters that already cover 1,840,000 acres. Another 190,000 acres are under water in adjoining Mississippi.

6,000 Out In Louisiana
About 6,000 have been driven from their homes in Louisiana and Mississippi. The highwater mark is not expected in the valleys until the first of March, and there was little hope that the water would recede until late next month.

Another 23,000 are homeless in Arkansas and additional evacuees are expected along the lower St. Francis next week. However, the swollen White, Black, Cache and upper Ouachita rivers have started dropping.

An estimated 3,000 are homeless in Missouri and 800 in Kentucky, but flood conditions have eased in these two states.

Marksville Threatened
One of the biggest current flood threats was at Marksville, La., a community of 3,000. The town was nearly cut off by water, and national guardsmen said it may be isolated completely in a few days.

Teams of guardsmen pitched a tent settlement on a high knoll near the town for some 300 families, expected to be flooded out of surrounding lowlands.

Another settlement of 475 tents sprang up in the vicinity of Jonesville, La., for lowland refugees. The strong northerly winds from Canada whipped light snow across eastern Montana, the Dakotas and northwestern Minnesota.

Mild weather prevailed in the remainder of the mid-continent and far west, but temperatures were rather low in the east.

County Supervisor Law Challenged In High Court Appeal

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—An appeal challenging validity of the new county assessment supervisor law was filed today in the Illinois supreme court.

A decision is not expected before the tribunal's May term at the earliest.

The appeal is from a Sangamon county circuit court ruling last December that the law, which applies to all counties except Cook and St. Clair, is valid.

Attorney George Hoffman of Springfield filed the supreme court case in behalf of Edward C. Giebelhausen, of East Peoria, as a taxpayer. Three stateswide organizations of county and township officials are supporting the appeal.

The new law is aimed at putting property tax assessments on an equal basis within each county.

Hoffman has contended it represents illegal state interference in local tax matters.

Early this month the state revenue department began certifying names of applicants for appointment to the supervisor jobs.

French Reds Fail In Bid To Tie Up Railroads, Mines

Paris, Feb. 17.—(P)—French communists failed today in their bid to tie up the nation's railway system, for two hours and mines for 24 as a demonstration against unloading of American arms in France.

Interior ministry sources said the railroad strike, called by the communist-led General Confederation of Labor (CGT) from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m., was less than five per cent effective.

The 24-hour strike called in the northern coal fields also appeared to be ignored by miners usually responsive to communist orders. In that case the Pittsburgh area of France—97 per cent of the surface employees and 75 per cent of the pit workers were on the job, officials said.

Both strikes ostensibly were for improved wages and working conditions.

COT headquarters had no immediate comment on the outcome. The nation's two non-communist groups opposed both strikes and ordered their members to continue working. They both said the strike was a political move.

3 Plead Guilty To Spying As Trial Of Vogeler Opens

Budapest, Hungary, Feb. 17.—(P)—A Briton and two Hungarians pleaded guilty today to charges of sabotage and spying for the west in a ring the government declares was led by American defendant Robert A. Vogeler.

The court skipped over Vogeler, No. 3 on the list of seven prisoners, in calling for pleas although the government announced soon after his arrest Nov. 18 that he had confessed.

Vogeler, 38, is an assistant vice president and eastern European representative of the International Telephone and Telegraph Co. He spoke but briefly in court. Asked whether he had received and studied a translation of the indictment, he answered "yes."

(The U. S. state department charged in Washington that Hungary's communist government decided in advance to convict Vogeler. A formal statement by the department was not made.)

Guilty pleas were entered in succession by Imre Geisler, white-haired Hungarian director of the Standard Electric Works, a now nationalized subsidiary of the I. T. & T.; Zoltan Rado, a section chief under the Hungary ministry of heavy trade; and Edgar Sanders, British accountant of the Standard company.

They were Nos. 1, 2 and 4 on the list in the court, where Josef Cardinal Mindszenty was sentenced last year to a life term on treason charges. The presiding judge and the prosecutor were those who served in the Mindszenty case.

"Do you feel guilty?" presiding Judge Vilmos Olthy asked in the traditional form as the prisoners were called up.

The standard reply in each case was: "I do."

Coal Shortage Will Not Delay Prep Cage Tourney
Chicago, Feb. 17.—(P)—The coal shortage is critical at many Illinois high schools but it won't delay naming a 1950 basketball champion.

So far no school has been forced to call off plans for acting as host to a district, regional or sectional tournament. But at least two—Rockford and Galesburg—are worried.

The state finals March 16-18, however, are sure to be run off as scheduled at the University of Illinois Huff gym. The University has told the state high school association not to worry.

Forty-seven schools will open district tournaments next week for small schools. Then come 60 regional meets the following week. After that there will be 15 sectional tournaments.

Al Willis, secretary of the Illinois High School association, said the IHSA won't allow the coal strike to interrupt the tournament schedule. For 42 years it has never had an interruption.

In case a school must cancel out for lack of coal, the tournament will be shifted to another school which has coal.

If that can't be done, then all teams assigned to that tournament will be out in the cold—disqualified from a title chase.

In no case, Willis said, will the whole tournament schedule be put back a week or longer because of any cancellations.

Indiana officials have said they will postpone tournaments if any site lacks coal.

Inclement Weather Slows Search For Five Missing Men
McChord Air Base, Wash., Feb. 17.—(P)—A return of winter weather today hampered the search for five men missing from an abandoned Air Force B-36.

Their chances of survival on rugged Princess Royal Island, on the British Columbia coast, lessened by the hour—if they survived their parachute jumps during Monday night.

The other 12 men who leaped from the plane have been rescued from the heavily wooded island.

The weather closed in along the coastal region after hopes for the missing men had been buoyed by new clues. They were a blood-spattered patch in the snow where a man apparently had fallen; an SOS stamped in the snow; and parachutes.

The clues were sighted yesterday by a Canadian Navy spokesman reported from Esquimaut, B.C., darkness last night prevented a pursuit of the clues immediately.

There was a chance the signs had been left by some of the men already rescued.

Operators Join Workers In Asking 15 Cent Pay Hike

Chicago, Feb. 17.—(P)—Illinois Bell Telephone operators today joined some 200,000 telephone workers throughout the nation in demanding a 15-cent-an-hour package increase.

The request was presented to Illinois Bell officials by Mrs. Anne Berger, president of Illinois Division 14, Communication Workers of America (CWA).

In a statement, the company called the demand "clearly part of the plan propelled by push buttons from the CWA-CIO headquarters in Washington, D.C."

It said the wage boost would affect one-fourth of its employees in Illinois and would cost telephone users \$3,750,000 a year.

BULLETIN

Rockville Centre, N. Y., Feb. 17.—(AP)—Two crowded Long Island railroad trains crashed head-on here tonight and first reports listed from five to 15 persons killed.

An unidentified trainman at the scene told newsmen the death toll might reach 50.

Rockville Centre police said only one death officially was verified thus far.

They estimated the injured at 100 or more. Scores of injured were rushed to Long Island hospitals in this area.

Every doctor in the vicinity was mobilized for emergency duty.

Many persons were trapped in the twisted coaches of the two electric trains.

Acetylene torches in the hands of rescue squads bit into the splintered steel to free them.

Floodlights played on the scene.

The Long Island railroad said an eastbound train on its way to Babylon, Long Island, ran by a stop signal and hit the westbound train going into Manhattan.

A dead silence followed a rending crash of metal as the trains met on a single, make-shift track on the western edge of Rockville Centre, a Nassau county village about 20 miles east of Manhattan.

Then the screams of the wounded pierced the dark silence.

Coplon Switches Her Lawyer In Mid-Trial

New York, Feb. 17.—(P)—Judith Coplon switched lawyers today in the middle of her spy conspiracy trial.

At her request, Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan assigned three attorneys to replace stubby, excitable Archibald Palmer, who defended the ex-government girl in a stormy Washington trial and in weeks of sometimes hectic court proceedings here.

Named to succeed Palmer were Samuel Neuberger, Sidney E. Beran and Leonard Boudin. The court acted because Miss Coplon has taken the pauper's oath.

Miss Coplon, 28, has been on trial since Jan. 24 with 33-year-old Valentin A. Gubitchev, a Russian engineer. They are accused of plotting to pass U. S. defense secrets to the Soviet Union.

The trial was adjourned without explanation yesterday for conferences that led to today's announcement of the shift in defense lawyers.

Palmer's successors are expected to ask for a further delay so that they can study the case.

Palmer's own comment was: "A woman has a right to change her mind."

Illinois News Briefs
Paris, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Larry Tisdale's children wanted to play television.

So Gregory, two, and Barry, nine, put the family cat into their home laundry machine and pretended they were watching a TV animal act through the glass door of the machine.

They soon tired of the show and left. Along came Mrs. Tisdale with a load of clothes. She dumped them into the machine and turned the switch.

A dizzy and wet cat was rescued some moments and yowls later.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—John Samuel Francis, 79, a retired farmer, died today of injuries suffered when he was struck by a car 14 months ago.

—Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Don Franks of Bloomington was elected president of the Carbonated Beverage Manufacturers of Illinois at the annual convention today.

Also elected were Grant Smith, Waukegan, first vice president; Ray Derges, Peoria, second vice president; and E. F. Wagner, Madison, treasurer.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—The Decatur church council, representing 24 Protestant churches, today formally asked Decatur theaters to ban the Ingrid Bergman movie "Stromboli" on moral grounds.

Wamac, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Christ C. Rowe, 65, former alderman and treasurer of this Centralia suburb, died today after a four year illness. He also was a former secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers Local 52.

Newton, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Something new has been added to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Earl New of Newton.

It's a new little New. The newcomer, a girl, is the New's first child. She was born yesterday.

Galena, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—A father of six children was convicted last night of raping a 14 year old girl. A Jo Davies county circuit court jury fixed a one year prison sentence for George Kinney, 33, a Warren, Ill., laborer. He pleaded innocent.

Lawrenceville, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Harley Neal, 64, member of the county board of review today posted bond for his four year term as Lawrenceville's tax assessment supervisor, a \$2,750 post.

Herrin, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—The first of 350 persons who will take the 1950 U. S. census in southernmost Illinois were interviewed in the Herrin district yesterday. William L. Grindle is supervisor of the nine-county district.

Lewis Orders Miners To Work 'Forthwith'

Miners Give Work Order Cold Reception

Pittsburgh, Feb. 17.—(P)—John L. Lewis' latest stop strike command got a cold reception tonight in the first reaction from soft coal fields.

Some of the comment from United Mine Workers officials:

"The miners are still mad as hell."

"It still up to the men what they'll do."

"There is no use calling a meeting of UMW locals unless we get a contract."

"The order won't do any good."

Official word of Lewis' edict won't reach most of the rank and file until tomorrow. Some will act on it at union meeting then. Generally they have insisted on staying out until they get a new contract.

Two Central Pennsylvania locals had meetings tonight but refused to take action pending official receipt of the Lewis order.

They are the St. Michaels and Windber locals near Johnstown, Pa.

Mike Demchak, president of the St. Michaels locals made this statement after the session:

"I'll be honest with you. The sentiment of 99 per cent of the men is to stay out until we get a contract."

"There are only a few stragglers in favor of going back to work."

Demchak said he will call a special meeting on Monday if the Lewis order is received during the week-end.

Officials of the Windber local said they plan a special meeting Sunday. The Lewis move to end the strike of 370,000 soft coal diggers found the nation's economy threatened with a knockout blow.

Already 42,000 in Allied industries have been laid off. Fuel shortages are critical in some areas. New York State has instituted rationing and says it will go ahead despite Lewis' new work order.

Jones and Laughlin Steel corporation, the nation's fourth largest steel producer, said it will have to halt production at two Pittsburgh district plants by the end of next week unless it gets more coal. About 23,000 men would be furloughed.

As word of Lewis' back to work order spread, many miners gathered in bars and union halls to discuss the move.

Pope Pius Hits Making Of Atomic Bombs By World
Vatican City, Feb. 17.—(P)—Pope Pius XII said today too much is known of "hateful chemical processes"—an obvious reference to the atomic and hydrogen bombs.

"These, as fatally as do pretended public opinion, lies, partial judgments create a heavy atmosphere, unhealthy and artificial, that suffocates or stupefies men and compels them to give their goods and blood for a false and unjust cause," the Pontiff said.

In a statement published by the Vatican newspaper Osservatore Romano, he called again for an awakening of public opinion throughout the world against "abuse of force" that restricts freedom of religion and thought.

The Pontiff pictured modern man as voiceless in totalitarian lands and elsewhere frequently reduced to "blind and docile conformity of thoughts and judgments."

"Public opinion is silent in a world where even just liberty is banished and only the voice of parties in power, the opinions of chiefs and dictators are permitted to be heard," he said.

"Peace is endangered wherever public opinion ceases to function freely."

PMW Leaders Say No Progress In Contract Talks
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Progressive mine workers leaders, who have called a strike for mid-night Tuesday, reported no progress in contract talks with coal operators today.

Another session was set for 10 a. m., CST Saturday.

John Marchiondi, PMW president, said the operators have made no counter offers to union demands for increased wages, a shorter work week and higher royalty payments.

Walter Gill, head of the coal producers association of Illinois, which bargains with the PMW, declined comment on the negotiations.

A statewide picket by the progressives, who die from 20 to 25 per cent of Illinois coal, would shut off the state's last major supply of the fuel.

More than 2,600 PMW members were idle today—chiefly in southern Illinois. Some progressives have refused off and on to work since the Taft-Hartley law was invoked in the strike of the rival United Mine Workers.

LONG-TIME PHYSICIAN IN SPRINGFIELD AREA DIES AT ST. JOHN'S
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Dr. C. W. Milligan, 64, a practicing physician here for 40 years, died today in St. John's hospital from a heart attack.

He was a former president of the Illinois Association of Park Districts. He also was Springfield city superintendent of health for several years. Dr. Milligan was a graduate of the St. Louis University school of medicine.

Would Save Union From Court Fines

Washington, Feb. 18.—(AP) (Saturday)—Federal mediators early today reported "no real progress" in last ditch contract talks between John L. Lewis and soft coal operators.

Negotiations had been under way in a final effort to head off new government action against the striking miners.

But the first reaction from the big eastern production areas raised doubts whether there would be all-out compliance. Most union officials withheld comment but one said the men "are still madder than hell," and another declared the order "won't do any good" without a new contract.

"Return to work without delay," for the protection and welfare of our union and all its members," the United Mine Workers chieftain wired the 370,000 men who walked out Monday in defiance of a federal court order forbidding a strike.

More Fervent Than Last
It was Lewis' second message advising the miners to obey the court, but this one was far more fervent. If they comply, it will restore production Monday morning just as that "extensive use of taxation to reduce inequalities" is desirable from a Christian standpoint.

They voted only as individuals at one of six town meeting-style discussion panels of a conference on the role of Christians in the economy of the nation and the world.

The conference of 450 delegates, which concludes Sunday, is sponsored by the Federal Council of the Church of Christ in America. The panel groups will bring their findings before a full session of the conference tomorrow for action.

Laymen—including men from labor, management and agriculture—outnumber clergymen two-to-one at the gathering.

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Although Lewis did not say so, the presumption is that his order means a full work week. If complied with, this was not mentioned directly in the court's order but forbade continuing the strike "in whole or in part."

Lewis told the miners to "insure that the instructions of the court are carried out."

The present strike is an outgrowth of a series of scattered strikes which appeared throughout the industry in a "no contract, no work" wave of sentiment. Lewis instituted a 3-day work week, and when a general strike broke out last September, he let it run 52 days in one of his moves to curtail coal supplies during the protracted contract haggling.

Throughout these stoppages President Truman had refused to invoke the Taft-Hartley Act, saying he found no emergency. There was no indication whether contempt of court action against the union for non-compliance with the court's brief no-strike order would be pressed.

LITTLE SQUIRREL FALLS 600 FEET AND LIVES
Flat River, Mo., Feb. 17.—(P)—This is one about a little grey squirrel that fell 600 feet and lived. The story comes from Lyman J. Doll, a Missouri conservation commission agent.

He said the squirrel tumbled down a six inch air vent shaft at the Pima mine near here. On the way down it lost its toenails and footpads. And its front teeth were knocked out.

Virgil Adams, president of the Lead Belt Sportsman's club, is caring for it. To feed her, he has to crack nuts and pick out the kernels.

Doll said it looks like "Lucky," the squirrel, will live.

WEATHER
The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observer for the U.S. Weather Bureau, yesterday reported the temperatures for Friday as follows: High, 47; low, 17; and at 6 p. m., 40. Sunset today 5:41; sunrise Sunday 6:44.

Forecast for Illinois—Cloudy today, turning colder in late afternoon. High 46 to 50.

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ELECTORAL COLLEGE REFORM MAY BRING BETTER POLITICAL BALANCE

The electoral college is back in the news, sooner than usual. Normally the press can escape explaining how the thing works except in presidential election years. But the Senate has crossed everybody up by approving a constitutional amendment to change the system.

In this country we don't vote for president directly. We cast our ballots for so-called electors who then are supposed to choose the chief executive. A state's total electors are determined by adding up its representation in House and Senate. New York, for example, has 45 House members and two senators, hence 47 electors.

When the system was first created the electors exercised a real choice. But for many decades now they have with few exceptions followed the popular vote in their states, casting their entire vote for the top candidate.

To illustrate, if a state has 10 electors and President Truman leads in the popular balloting he gets all 10 votes, even though he may beat his nearest opponent by a single tally. Because of this feature, a candidate can gain a necessary majority of electoral votes while getting only a minority in the popular returns.

Agitation for change has been going on a long time. Led by Senator Lodge, Massachusetts Republican, the Senate finally acted. It approved an amendment that would simply apportion a state's electoral vote in accord with the distribution of the popular vote. Should the change become effective, a candidate than would need virtually 100 per cent of the popular vote to capture all of a state's electoral vote.

Senator Taft of Ohio sparked the opposition to the change. For one thing, he feared a minority candidate might have a better chance than ever if two major nominees should balance each other too evenly. The proponents met that objection by modifying the plan to specify that a winner must get at least 40 per cent of the total electoral vote. If he doesn't, Congress will settle the issue by voting on the two top candidates.

Taft also was concerned that the new system would damage Republican chances by cutting into the party's strength in rock-ribbed GOP areas. But others felt the party stood to gain in northern industrial states where Democratic big city votes often have narrowly outweighed GOP rural votes in the past 20 years.

And, of course, Republicans would make small but perhaps vital inroads in the solid Democratic South. For the first time in post-Civil War history, the party would know that its campaign effort in the South would pay off in electoral votes. It might prove a major step on the way back to two-party government in that region.

The Senate-approved proposal seems to us a sane improvement that promises a healthier political balance in the nation. The House ought to add its endorsement and send the amendment out for the necessary consideration of the 48 state legislatures.

Boyle's Column

"The Customers Always Write"

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bergschneider of Franklin are parents of a son born Friday at 1:48 a. m. at Our Saviour's hospital. The weight was eight pounds, two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Graves, rural route three, Jacksonville, are parents of a son weighing seven pounds, born Friday at 12:06 a. m. at Our Saviour's hospital.

A daughter was born Wednesday at 7:49 p. m. at Our Saviour's hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wheeler of Winchester. The infant weighed eight pounds, four ounces.

Along with Middendorf Bros. Auction Sale Monday night at 7 p. m. there will be a large amount of plumbing equipment and other miscellaneous items of the late John Flanagan estate.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS

Iritis, Serious Eye Disease; Needs Expert Care

By Edwin J. Jordan, M.D.
Written for NEA Service

Iritis is a disease of the eyes. Its principal symptoms consist of pain, watering of the eye, excessive sensitivity to bright light and if long continued, interference with vision. The pain is likely to be severe and worse at night. Touching or pressing the eyeball is excruciatingly painful.

In acute iritis the symptoms tend to be worse than in the chronic variety, but recovery usually comes more rapidly—perhaps in a few weeks. When proper treatment is begun early the iritis can clear up completely, but complications and the possibility of chronic inflammation are unfortunate possibilities.

Several different conditions can cause either the acute or chronic type of iritis. It is sometimes associated with rheumatism, diabetes, tuberculosis, syphilis, or injury. It is most important that the cause of the iritis be discovered whenever possible. However, unfortunately in some cases no cause whatever can be found.

The disease or condition producing the inflammation of the iris must be treated as well as the eye itself. The search for infection or other disease elsewhere in the body must be carried out painstakingly and thoroughly.

Protein Therapy
The eye itself requires highly skilled treatment, including the use of drugs, heat applied locally, rest and protection from light. Sometimes a method called foreign protein therapy has been found helpful in iritis. This consists in injecting some protein substance (boiled milk is an example) which produces a reaction of the body, usually with fever. This seems to stimulate resistance and often has a favorable effect on the iritis.

From this discussion it can be seen that iritis is a serious condition requiring expert study and care. When anything goes wrong with the eyes, diagnosis and treatment should not be delayed too long, as the risk of permanent damage to these vital organs is great. Among the sources of eye trouble iritis ranks high.

I.C. Will Take Part In Two Forensic Events

Illinois college will be represented in two forensic tournaments Saturday when Robert Smith will travel to the Illinois Wesleyan campus. Bloomington, to compete in the intra-state oratorical contest, and the debate team will compete at the DePaul university invitation debate tournament at Greencastle, Ind.

Smith, a junior from Freeport, won the campus Sanders oratorical contest for Sigma Phi Men's literary society last December. His oration, to be used in the state contest, is entitled "We Shall Not Be Moved."

He won second place on two previous occasions in the state competition, which brings together the top orators to vie for the state championship and the opportunity to enter the national interstate contest.

The DePaul tournament will consist of four rounds of debate, the last round of which will be a cross-examination debate. This type of competition will be new to the local team and to most of the other colleges represented.

In this debate each constructive speech is shortened by two minutes followed by a four minute questioning period by the opposition. The standard rebuttals are replaced by a five minute summary by each side. This arrangement approximates the courtroom situation and makes possible many different avenues.

Prof. Lloyd P. Dudley of the speech department will accompany Smith to Bloomington while Dr. John Wright, professor of government, will accompany the debate team and act as judge.

Noble Turner Of Ebey Street Is Called By Death
Noble Turner, 408 Ebey street, died at noon Friday after a lingering illness. He was a native of Eolia, Mo., having been born in 1880.

Mr. Turner was twice married. Four children were born to the first union, Mrs. Janice Moss of Springfield; Jordan W. Turner of Jacksonville; and two children who preceded him in death.

After the death of his first wife he was united in marriage in 1903 with Beulah Ails. who survives, together with one sister, Mrs. Sallie Rucker of Clarksville, Mo., several grandchildren, one great grandson and one great granddaughter.

The remains are at the Cody & Son Memorial Home.
Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at Mt. Emory Baptist church.

BEASTALL WILL FILE
The will of the late Elmer E. Beastall has been filed for probate, bequeathing all of his property to his wife, Ida L. Beastall, and naming her executor. The will was made Jan. 25, 1939, witnessed by Neil M. Staley, Bernese Watts and William E. Thomson.

Services in the Church

Salem Lutheran church, Missouri Synod, 333 S. East street, O. J. Klinger, pastor. Services 8 and 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9 a. m. Tuesday, lecture on Christian Fundamentals 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek Lenten service 8 p. m. Thursday, choir 7:45 p. m. Ladies Guild 2 p. m.

Arenzville Presbyterian church, 9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Mrs. Thomas Coyle, supt. Bible classes for all; 10:30 a. m. worship. Sermon by Dr. Daniel E. Kerr of Illinois College.

St. Peter's Lutheran church, Ernest A. Slottag, pastor, rural route one, Arenzville. Sunday Feb. 19, 9:30 Sunday school; 10:30 church service; Monday 7:30, church council. Ash Wednesday 7:30 Lenten service; Saturday 9:30 catechetical class.

Chapin Christian church, Fred Fred Wilson, pastor. Church school 9:30 Jane Moody, supt. Morning service 10:30. Pastor's subject: The Day of Brotherhood. Church family night will be observed Sunday evening. Potluck supper at 6:30, followed by a program. All members and friends of the church invited.

Literberry Christian church, Rev. Donald F. Gee, pastor, will occupy the pulpit at 10:45, and at the evening service at 7 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. with Earl J. Myers, superintendent. A not luck supper will be served at the church Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. All members and friends are invited to attend.

Central Christian church, Leslie G. Heuston, minister. Church school at 9:30 a. m. Fred Goodey, supt. Classes for all ages, morning worship at 10:45. Rev. Heuston will use the theme "I Believe in Christ" this Sunday morning. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Francis Plouffe will sing "Presentation of Christ in the Temple" by Ecard. A supervised nursery for preschool age children in charge of Mrs. A. B. Kent during church hour. The C.Y.F. will meet at the church at 4:30 p. m.

Christ Lutheran Church for the Deaf, Rev. N. P. Uhlig, pastor. Service at 2:30 p. m. at Salem Lutheran church, S. East at Beecher. Topic: "The Shadow of The Cross."

Calvary Bible church, 855 Edgemoor Road, Sunday school 10 a. m. worship service 11 a. m. The message by Dale Bryant this Sunday will be "The Power of Love." Every body welcome. Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 21 and 22 at 8 p. m. regular bi-weekly Bible conference. Pastor Tom Wright of Muskegon, Michigan will be here to teach us. Come and bring your Bible.

Berea Christian church, Rev. R. E. May, minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Donald Flinn, supt. morning worship at 10:30. The topic of the sermon will be "The Apostolic Church." Rita Jean Nall will sing a solo. Marilyn Norfleet will play a number on the piano. The choir will sing. Marian Stewart, pianist.

Assembly of God, 331 West Douglas, W. A. Gardner, pastor. Sunday school 9:45; morning worship 10:45. Sunday evening Young People's service 6:30; Sunday evening evangelistic service 7:30; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study 7:30.

First Baptist church, Rev. Clair E. E. Malcomson, minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Arthur Yates, supt. Worship service 10:45 a. m. The choir will sing under the direction of Noel Rousey, Mahala McGhee, at the organ. Sermon: "God Pays High Wages." Intention of making it possible for a larger number of parents to attend the morning worship services, a nursery is maintained in the kindergarten room. Responsible women are in charge. B. Y. F. 6:00 p. m. Sponsors, Miss Ann James and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hankla.

The Friendly church of the Nazarene, at Franklin and South Main sts. Rev. S. P. McKay, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Arvil Stewart, supt. Morning worship at 10:45. N.Y.P.S. meeting at 7 p. m. A missionary program will be given with Mrs. Mamie Merritt as leader. Evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meetings Wednesday night at 7:30. N.Y.P.S. prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Northminster Presbyterian church, C. Frank Janssen, pastor. Sunday school meets at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. message, "The Life of Faith," by the pastor. The choir will sing "The God of Mercy," by Chester Nordman. The Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Evening worship service at 7:30. The Centennial Ordination and Installation of Deacons will be observed at this service. The mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7:45. Trustees' monthly business meeting Thursday at 7:30.

St. Paul's Lutheran church of Chapin, Harry A. Timm, pastor. Divine service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. This is Birthday Sunday. Lenten service on Wednesday evening, Feb. 22 at 7:45 o'clock. "Jesus Looking to the Cross." Mary and Martha Circle meeting on Thursday, Feb. 23. Sunday school teachers' meeting on Friday evening, Feb. 24.

Bethel A.M.E. church, Where a friendly welcome awaits you every Sunday. Rev. F. B. Stratton, pastor. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m. Special program given by Harmonizers, Simon Hassell, chairman. 3 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Official board meeting, Monday. Dinner at church starting at 11:30 a. m. Thursday, Mrs. Stratton, cap-

tain. Sunday, Feb. 26, Rev. Barry Works of Springfield at 3 p. m. Mrs. Louisa W. Bundy, captain.

Methodist West Circuit, W. Brooks Martin, pastor. Mt. Zion: Morning worship, 9 a. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m. Don Reining, superintendent. Wesley Chapel: Morning worship, 10 a. m.; Sabbath school, 11 a. m. Ebenezer: Sabbath school, 10 a. m. John Harden, superintendent; morning worship, 11:10 a. m. Riggs: Sabbath school, 10 a. m. Mrs. R. Coultas, superintendent; evening worship, 7 p. m.

Central Baptist church, 224 W. Morgan, William H. Spencer, pastor. "Where Every Visitor is a Welcome Guest." Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Jamie Crosson, superintendent. Worship service, 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Something for Others." Baptismal service, 2:30 p. m. Franklin Baptist church pastor and candidates. Baptist Training Union, 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Fern Oshel, director. Worship service, 7:30 p. m. Subject: "What's the Difference?" Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. choir rehearsal. Wednesday, 6:00 p. m. Workers' Conference, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Bible Study, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m. teachers meeting.

Arenzville Methodist church, Morning worship at 9:30 a. m. Sermon: "The Power of Love." Robert Pitsch, pastor. Mrs. F. D. Cooper, organist. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Katherine Wood, superintendent. Friday, Feb. 24, World Day of Prayer at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 26, Laymen's Day.

Concord Methodist church, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Robert Nickel, superintendent. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon: "The Power of Love." Robert Pitsch, pastor. Mrs. Walter Standley, choir director; John Brown, pianist. World Day of Prayer, Feb. 24. Laymen's Day, Feb. 26.

Westminster Presbyterian church, the Rev. Arthur F. Ewert, D.D., pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 with special classes at 10:45 for children of parents attending the morning service. Mrs. F. F. McCarthy, Mrs. A. F. Ewert, superintendents. At the morning worship service at 10:45 Dr. Ewert will speak on "Our Sacred Trust," using as text Hebrews 11:39. 40. Miss Carmen M. Covey, organist, will play "O Saviour Hear Me," Gluck; "Chorale," Bach; "March," Bennett; Miss Doris Marie Souza, soprano, will sing "How Beautiful Upon The Mountains," by Scott, and Mrs. Benton C. Nelms, violinist, will play "Morning Prayer," by Tschai-kovsky. The congregation will unite with other churches in the union service at 7:30 in Grace Methodist church. Lenten service on Wednesday evening.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 523 W. State St. Sunday service at 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Mind." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meetings at 8:00 o'clock. The Reading Room, maintained in the church building, is open each week day, except holidays, from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

Trinity Episcopal church, Sunday, February 19th, Rev. R. M. Harris, rector, Mrs. Ruth M. Bellatti, organist and choir director. 8 a. m. Holy Communion. 9:30 church school. 10:45 Choral Eucharist. Miss Lucille Haney will sing "These Are They" from Gaul's "Holy City." Ash Wednesday services: 7 and 10 a. m. Holy Communion. 7:30 p. m. evening prayer and instruction.

State Street Presbyterian church The Church with the Singing Tower. The Rev. Lewis N. Raymond, pastor. The church school will meet at 9:30 a. m. with classes for all ages. You are cordially invited to attend our school. Special nursery class is held during the church hour for youngsters too young to attend church. Divine worship at 10:45 a. m. with special music by Wilbur Sheridan at the organ. The quartet will sing a special anthem. The minister will speak on "Healing the Hurts of Life." The H. I. School Fellowship will meet at the home of James Otto at 6 o'clock for supper and their weekly meeting. The collegiate fellowship will meet at the manse at 7:30 p. m. All young people are cordially invited to these meetings.

Grace Methodist church, "The Church of Activity." Frank Marston, minister. Mrs. G. O. Webster, organist. Kermit Green, choir director. John L. Conant, supt. church school. W. Kenneth Ward, director, junior church. Church school at 9:30; special music by the orchestra, directed by Frances Lane. Junior church at 10:45 in the chapel; picture sermon, "Historic Switzerland." Morning worship service at 10:45, with sermon by Dr. Marston. "The Quest for Certainty in Days of Doubt." Anthem by the choir, and a special violin duet "Adagio" by Handel, will be rendered by Joan Kline and Charles Covey. There will be a nursery for small children during the service. MYF in the chapel at 6:30 o'clock. Evening service in the church at 7:30 when a round table presentation of the subject, "Shall The Protestant Churches Unite," will be given with the Rev. John Collins and the Rev. Leslie Heuston, as speakers, and Dr. Malcolm Stewart, as moderator. A question and discussion period will follow the presentation. The public is cordially invited.

Methodist East Circuit, L. C. Pruehner, minister. Salem: Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Robert Fox, superintendent. Hebron: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Mrs. Roy E. Robinson, superintendent; worship service, 10:30 a. m. Shiloh: Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Will Lindsay, superintendent; worship service, 11:30 a. m. Asbury: No worship service nor

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MR. AND MRS. FRED L. GIBLEY

White Hall—The 50th anniversary of their wedding will be observed on Tuesday, Feb. 21, by Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Gibley, who live on a farm west of White Hall.

The couple was united in marriage on Feb. 21, 1900, at the home of Rev. George Garrison, who was then pastor of the Pleasant Dale church near Walkerville.

Mrs. Gibley is the former Christena Schier. The couple has spent their entire married life in Greene county, where Mr. Gibley has been engaged in farming.

They are the parents of one child, Curtis Gibley of Patterson, two granddaughters, Fern of Springfield and Mrs. Fletcher Smith of White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Smith will be hosts at a dinner on Sunday, Feb. 19, in honor of their grandparents at their home.

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ROBOT IS SO HUMAN IT CHEATS—Noel Penney Elliott, 18-year-old high school senior of Kelllogg, Ill., works on his home-built mechanical brain, a machine that, he says, can beat any human at "tic-tac-toe." The game is played by switches and lights and the machine wins about 40 per cent of the time and ties its human opponent the rest. If the operator isn't careful the machine will try to chisel a bit. Elliott, who has been working on electricity and electronics since his grade-school days, will go to Washington, D. C., March 2 to compete for \$11,000 in a scholarship contest.

WHITE HALL

White Hall—Mrs. Tommie Prange Jr. and Mrs. J. R. Hunsucker of White Hall, Ill., attended the funeral of their cousin Lee Silkwood in St. Louis on Feb. 10. Mr. Silkwood died on Monday, Feb. 5 and burial was in Mount Lebanon cemetery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tinsley of Centerville, Ill., and their daughter Dorothy Butler a student nurse at Memorial hospital, Alton, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hayes.

Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Matson are house guests of Dr. and Mrs. F. N. McLaren. They are being entertained at dinners and luncheons by various

members of the First Christian church during their visit here. On Tuesday night, Dr. and Mrs. McLaren were at home to friends in honor of the Matsons.

Royal Neighbors of America Camp No. 987 met Tuesday night at the I.O.O.F. Hall with Oracle Edith Bishop presiding. A Post oracle pin was presented to Mrs. Lena Bertram. The Feb. 28 meeting will be a potluck supper preceding the lodge meeting, after which games will be enjoyed. Mrs. Edith Bishop, Ivan Dickerson and Miss Dorothy M. Young will be in charge of the evening's entertainment.

Mrs. Lillie Halbert who has been seriously ill in an Alton, Ill. hospital has been removed to a nursing home there. Her condition is critical.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McCollister were hosts at their home on Sunday with a family dinner party honoring the birthday anniversary of their son Donald McCollister and daughter-in-law Mrs. Robert McCollister. The women of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage for the third lesson in a series of four, for study on the "Career Women of the Bible." Mrs. Peter Kittle was in charge of the study period.

Adams Rebekah Lodge No. 375 will meet Tuesday night, Feb. 21 with a potluck supper preceding the lodge. A special program commemorating the 55 anniversary of the founding of the local lodge will be presented.

Mrs. Leo Suttles was hostess on Tuesday night at her home to 14 members of the Golden Era Woman's Club. A short business meeting was held, with roll call being verses from valentines. The hostess served refreshments.

DRUNK IS TOO HIGH—A 15-year-old boy was testifying at the trial of a grocer charged with selling liquor to a minor. After he told the jury he purchased beer from the grocer, the defense attorney cried: "Just a minute! Isn't it true that you were drunk at the time?" "No sir," replied the boy. "I was high."

Would he mind explaining the difference between being drunk and high? "You are drunk," said the witness, "when you are too high."

Meredosia M.Y.F. Program Features Movie And Music

The Rushville-Beardstown and Meredosia group of M.Y.F. members held a meeting at the Methodist church here Monday evening. About 60 young people were present. The opening devotional period was dramatized. Four instrumental numbers and a vocal duet were presented. A talk on "Faith in Love" was given by Rev. Morton, group counselor, of Beardstown.

During the social hour a motion picture, "Hawaii," was shown. Refreshments of cookies and cocoa were served by Mrs. Clarence Brown and Mrs. Guy Longenbaugh.

Those from Meredosia who made the bus trip sponsored by the Home Bureau to the Home Builders Show and other places of interest in St. Louis on Monday were Mrs. Kermit Muntman, Mrs. Elton Hinners, Mrs. Robert Lansink, Mrs. Lozelle Van Deventer, Mrs. Charles Metz, Jr., Mrs. William Taylor and Mrs. James Malor.

The Unit 27 teachers and their wives or husbands were entertained Thursday evening at the Meredosia grade school, with supper and a canasta party.

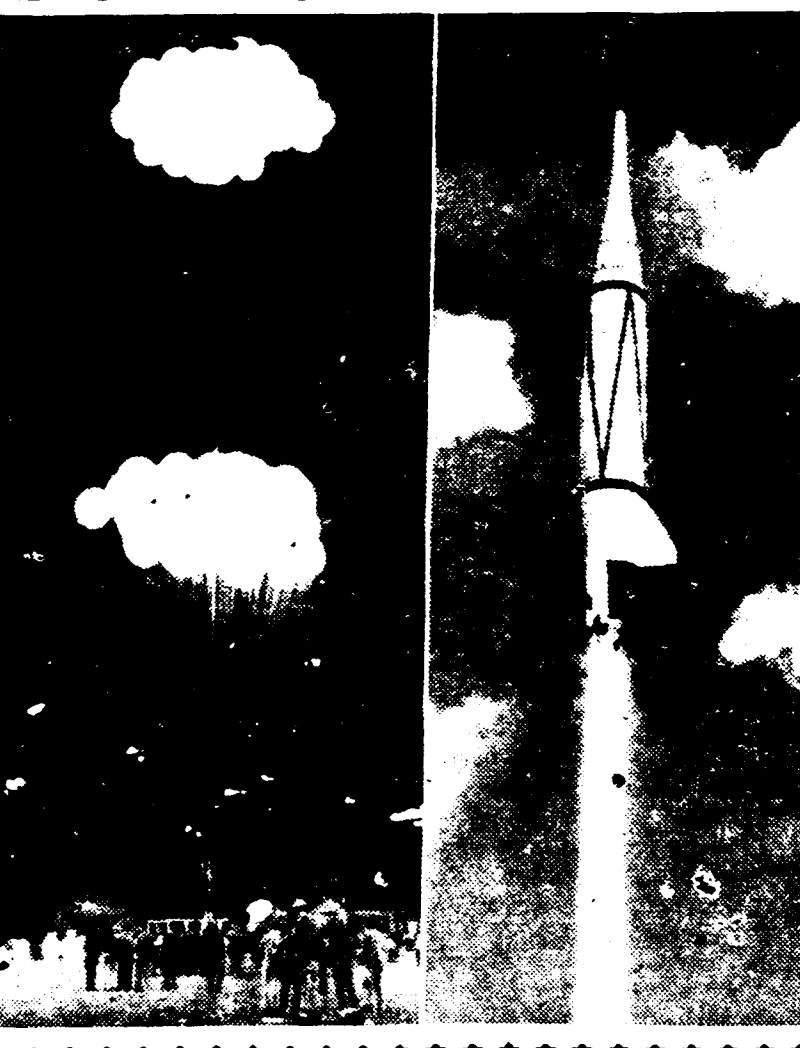
LOSS BELIES ARGUMENT

Singapore — (AP) — St. Margaret schoolgirls won a debate by insisting honesty is not the best policy—but they are not so sure they were right.

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Former Ashland Woman Observes 89th Birthday

Ashland—Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzhugh observed her eighty-ninth birthday Monday at the home of Mrs. Epperly in Tallula, where she has resided for a year and a half.

Mrs. Fitzhugh was born near this city, and resided here the most of her life. She has one brother, Walter Sever of this city and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Sever of Pleasant Plains.

A week's revival will start on Sunday, Feb. 19th at the local Methodist church and close on Sunday, Feb. 26th. Evangelist Robert Schindler of the Chaddock Boys School, Quincy, will be the preacher. The community is invited.

Mrs. Shirley Trentor and children of Pittsfield, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hunsucker of Buffalo, South Dakota, left Monday morning for their homes after a visit here with Mrs. Avery Hunsucker's brother, M. L. Isenhower and wife.

Mrs. Kate Waters and daughter of Villa Grove were visitors at the home of Mrs. Kate Newell and daughter Irene on Monday.

Mrs. Glenn Edwards of Cicero is visiting at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards, city, and resided here the most of her life. Mrs. Edwards has just returned home from St. John's hospital, where she was a surgical patient.

Ralph Warren spent last week end in Chicago with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Douglass, Mrs. Harold Ratliff, Mrs. Seibert Quimley, Mrs. Robert Douglass, Mrs. Jesse Douglass and Mrs. Carl Orne visited um of the Chaddock Boys School, Quincy, will be the preacher. The community is invited.

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of her mother, Mrs. Betty Staley and daughter.

Joe Moore is a patient in the Memorial hospital, Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson and son Charles left the first of the week for their home in Jacksonville, Oregon, after a two months visit here with Mrs. Anderson's sisters, Mrs. Dorsey Moles and Miss Bernice Patillo, and other relatives.

Mrs. Hubert Coop spent the first of the week in St. Louis, Mo., with her husband, who has been a patient at the Jefferson Barracks hospital the past month. He underwent an operation the latter part of last week.

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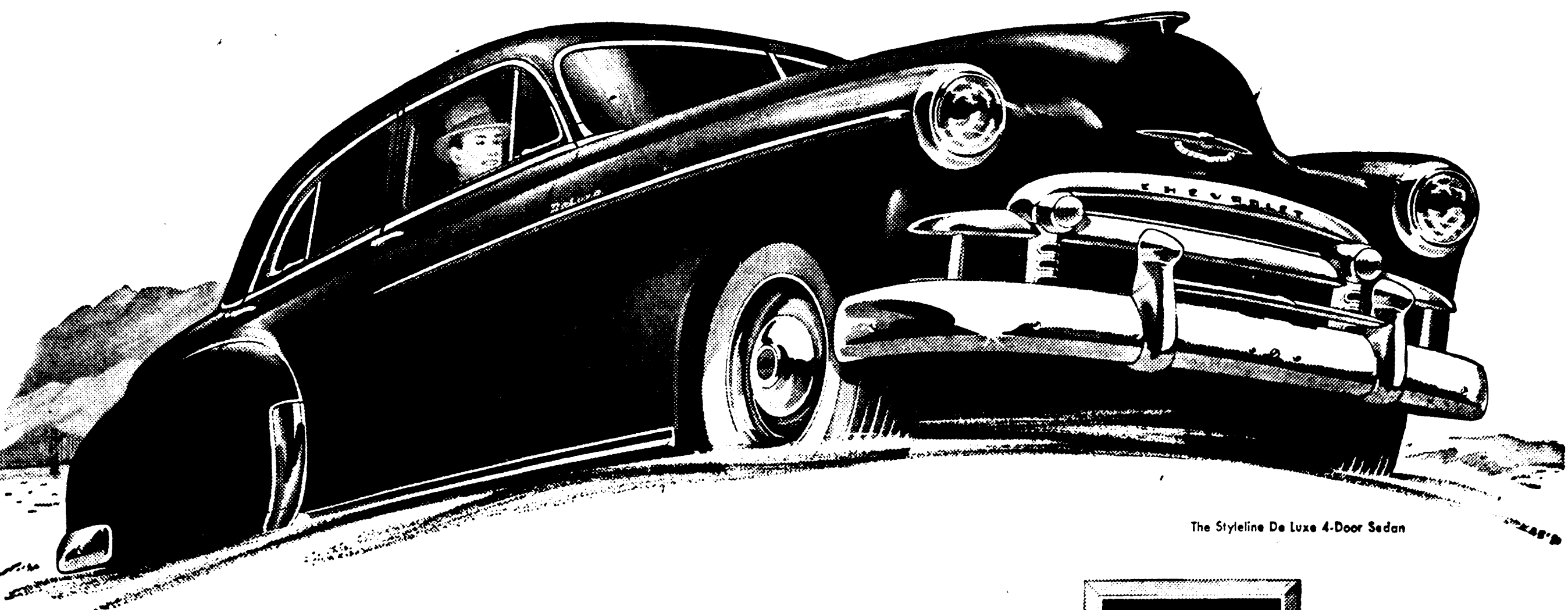


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Brothers Nabbed At Taylorville Confess Beardstown Burglary

Taylorville, Ill., Feb. 17—(AP)—Two Waterloo, Ia., brothers were held in jail today on a charge of burglarizing the S. W. Coe Loan office here.

Police said they found a total of \$906 in small bills and coins in a truck used by the two men.

Policeman James Turner related he and another officer arrested the brothers, Jack Brouhard, 25, and Wayne, 21, in the act of breaking into the loan company safe last night.

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Along with Middendorf Bros. Auction Sale Monday night at 7 p.m. there will be a large amount of plumbing equipment and other miscellaneous items of the late John Flanagan estate.

Maxine Azbell, George Pieper Engaged To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace of Bath announce the engagement of their daughter, Maxine Azbell, to George Pieper of St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Azbell is a graduate of the Methodist Hospital Nurses' Training school in Peoria.

Mr. Pieper attended Washington university in St. Louis and Illinois college as a pre-medical student.

Both Miss Azbell and Mr. Pieper served with the Army Medical Department in the Pacific during World War II.

No date has yet been set for the wedding.

Rites Held Friday For Samuel Rife

Funeral services were held Friday at 2:30 p. m. at the Gillham Funeral Home for Samuel Rife, retired watchmaker. The officiating minister was Rev. Leslie G. Heuston.

Organ selections were played by Mrs. Ralph Hutchison.

The pallbearers were Freeman Hopper, Watson Taiman, Ira Patterson, Robert Bridges, Dwight Green and Claude Armstrong.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Zoning Problems Of City Brought Out In Report On Land Uses

Several problems which the City of Jacksonville must solve to bring about an orderly pattern of zoning have been brought to light by Harland Bartholomew & Associates, city planners, who have made a report on their land use survey to the zoning commission. The planning experts found that in general the basic land use arrangement is sound and satisfactory, but pointed out a series of major land use problems as follows:

"1. Rental residence uses (two family and multiple dwellings) have scattered widely, penetrating single-family districts and depreciating their value for single-family dwelling use. The reasons for this scattered arrangement have been previously discussed. Portions of the report have been published previously. It should be noted, however, that even though these uses are more extensive in Jacksonville than in the usual city of its size, they still comprise a relatively small portion of the total number of dwelling units in the city and occupy a very small land area.

"2. A serious conflict has been created by the residential development of areas suitable for expansion of business and industry. This is particularly evident in outlying areas where residential use has needlessly preempted land use more logically suited to commercial development. The same condition is found when the matter of industrial expansion is examined.

"Past experience indicates that industry cannot be expected to purchase land occupied by residential buildings, demolish the buildings, and locate thereon, except in most unusual circumstances. The cost of such a procedure is high in comparison with available vacant sites located beyond the city limits.

"3. The street and block plan, with the extraordinary deep lots found in so many parts of the city, has created the cramped and crowded development found here and there where corner lots have been subdivided. These small cramped and crowded developments often depreciate what might otherwise have been consistently spacious single-family home neighborhoods.

"4. A study of the land use pattern of Jacksonville indicates the lack of the Bartholomew report continues:

Story Of College Radio Station Related To Club

A regular meeting of the Business and Professional Woman's club was held at the Dunlap hotel Thursday evening, Feb. 16. Dr. Mary Louise Newman presided at a business meeting. An interesting program followed the business session.

The group was first entertained by Walter Dieckamp who gave a serious reading, "The Button." Joan Winstead followed with a humorous reading, "My Victorian Girlhood."

The speaker for the evening was Howard Hansen, associate professor of Drama and Speech at MacMurray college. He spoke on the subject, "My Child and Its Nine Wives."

This was the story of the local radio station at MacMurray college. W.M.M.C., a member of the Inter-collegiate Broadcasting Co., which brings to the campus regularly scheduled daily programs. He spoke on the various phases of work done by the students and the opportunity the experience afforded those people who wish to work in the radio field.

Guests included Mrs. Raymond Miller, Mrs. Elaine Miller, Miss Estelene Miller and Mrs. Leila Reynolds. The program chairman for the evening was Miss Frances Webb with Miss Lucille Harper as co-chairman. Miss Thelma Bacon served as cashier.

The next regular meeting will be held March 2.

The New England catch of ocean perch, or rosefish, increased from 118,000 pounds in 1931 to 245,000,000 in 1949.

Contracts for Nichols Park dance and refreshment concessions available at office of Edw. H. Alexander, 206 Hopper Building. Bids must be received by noon February 24th.

"The land use survey reveals very clearly the basic character of the city. It is quite evident that Jacksonville is, first, the location for a considerable number of institutions, and that, second, it is a commercial center. The industrial development is limited, and quite minor in comparison with other cities of Jacksonville's size. The institutions and colleges with their attractive buildings and spacious grounds contribute immeasurably to the fine character of the city. Furthermore, they provide an economic base of unusually high quality. As a commercial and institutional center Jacksonville can best prosper by being also an unusually fine place in which to live. This means that far more emphasis must be placed on the development and protection of fine residential areas, and on the zoning regulations that can do so much to guide the proper development of—and protect the property values in—the residential neighborhoods."

"30 Acres In Business. The land use survey showed that retail stores, shops and other commercial uses occupy about 50 acres in the city and 7 acres beyond the city limits. This amounts to 19 per cent of the developed urban area and 23 per cent of the developed area of the city.

"The Bartholomew report continues: 'The only concentration of commercial property is in the central business district, commercial development beyond being quite scattered and haphazard in location. There is some tendency for a concentration on South Main street between Morton avenue and the business district and there has been some development along East Morton avenue. The commercial development of the business district is hampered by the inadequate street space provided in the original plat of this area. Only meager efforts have been made to date to provide sufficient off-street parking facilities in this area. The central business district is surrounded by quite well developed residential, industrial and institutional uses which have apparently limited its expansion and limited the provision of any more parking facilities.'

"It is surprising that more outlying business establishments are not found. One explanation of this could be that many logical commercial sites have been occupied by residential buildings.

City Plan In 1924

"In 1924 a city plan was prepared for the City of Jacksonville. As part of the planning study a land use survey was made of the city and its environs. Through use of this data a map was prepared showing the changes in land use that have taken place in the past 25 years. While the city has grown from a population of approximately 16,500 in 1924 to an estimated population of 20,600 at the present time, the changes in land use are far more extensive than would be indicated by this increase in population. For the most part these changes consist of addition of more residence units either in the form of (a) new single-family homes; in the outskirts, or (b) conversion of homes that were single-family in 1924 to either two-family or multiple dwellings. The map reveals a very limited expansion of business and industry, the business expansion consisting almost entirely of new business structures scattered in areas beyond the business district."

"The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Lee Sullivan, 346 West Beecher avenue.

Helping Hand Class Has Program at Swain Home

Social Events

Baptist Women Hold Luncheon Meeting

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a luncheon meeting at the church Thursday. Mrs. Roy Gilbert and Mrs. Forest Crouse were luncheon chairmen, with members of Groups Two and Three as hostesses.

Following the luncheon, a devotional service was led by Mrs. Crouse. Miss Mabel Withee presented the program. Abroad with the Great Builder. Excerpts from missionaries letters were read by Mrs. William Townsend, Miss Viola Robinson, Mrs. Henry Frisch, Mrs. C. R. Dowland, Mrs. T. O. Hardesty, Mrs. E. O. Cully, Mrs. Tom Cornish, Mrs. L. P. Hauck and Mrs. A. J. Stewart. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Clair E. Malcomson.

During the business session, conducted by the president, Mrs. A. J. Stewart, various committee reports were given. The meeting closed with prayer.

Program Presented At Newcomers' Party

The Newcomers club enjoyed a varied program at its Valentine party, held at the Dunlap hotel, decorated for the occasion in a Valentine motif.

The program included vocal selections by Mrs. Jane Diggle and Roger Jacques; dance numbers by pupils of the Wanda Hopper School of Dance; and an impersonation of Sophie Tucker by Mrs. Lillian Cook. During the remainder of the evening, group singing, card games and dancing were enjoyed.

Mrs. Virginia Crouse Feted At Shower

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Virginia Crouse was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence Crouse, Sr.

Bunco was played during the evening, with prizes being won by Mrs. O. M. Olsen, Mrs. Sam Traub, Mrs. Virginia Crouse, Mrs. Fred Walker and Mrs. Oscar Hopper.

The honored guest received a number of gifts. Refreshments were served.

Present were Mrs. O. M. Olsen, Mrs. Nancy Lindley, Mrs. Harold Bramley, Mrs. Charles Morris, Mrs. Sam Traub, Mrs. Oscar Hopper, Mrs. Fred Walker, Mrs. Robert Atkinson, Mrs. Truman Reynolds, Mrs. Clarence Scott, Mrs. Delmore Lane, Mrs. C. C. Scott, Mrs. Bob Scott and daughter, Sharon Lynn, Mrs. Virginia Crouse, Misses Tina Rust, Phyllis Jean, and Barbara Ann Scott, Patty Olsen, Patty Crouse, the hostess, Mrs. Donald Scott and Mrs. Clarence Crouse, Jr.

Group Three Entertained By Mrs. Baumann

Group Three of the Woman's Council of Central Christian church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Wayne Baumann, 1205 Edgemoor road. The leader, Mrs. Lyle Davis, called the meeting to order. Following the scripture reading, Mrs. Leslie G. Heuston gave a talk on Abraham Lincoln, in keeping with the theme of Christian patriotism.

Mrs. Davis then introduced Ralph Heiss, visiting school counselor. Mr. Heiss described the nature of his work.

A brief business session was conducted by Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Nellie Rice gave the missionary lesson. A social period followed, during which refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Lee Sullivan, 346 West Beecher avenue.

Helping Hand Class Has Program at Swain Home

Mrs. Ethel Swain was hostess at her home to the Helping Hand class of Hebron Methodist church, with Mrs. Marie Ward presiding. Roll call was answered by "Something Interesting About Lincoln or Washington."

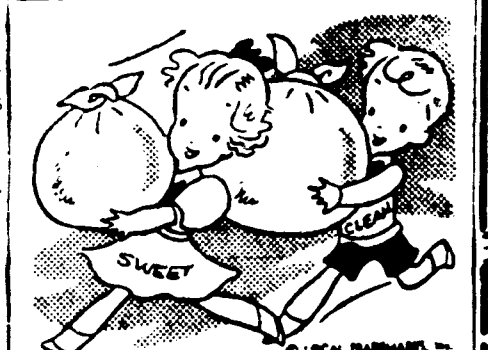
The program, in charge of Mrs. Clara Brown, consisted of an article, "Man of Faith," read by Mrs. Kathryn Baxter; two short papers, "What's So Difficult About Faith," and "This Matter Of Crosses," read by Mrs. Brown; article, "A Preacher Who Wouldn't Give Up," Mrs. Doris Robinson.

Mrs. Swain served refreshments during the social hour. The guests at the meeting were Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, Virginia Ann Ward and Mrs. Doris Robinson.

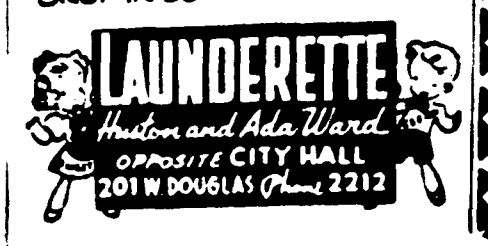
Mrs. Kathryn Baxter will be hostess to the class March 9.

Patterson Party Honors Birthday

Patterson-Lewis Bain, who with his family resides at the Buell Ford farm, south of Patterson, was honored Sunday evening when a group of his relatives came and surprised him, the occasion being his 55th birthday anniversary which fell on Feb. 15. An oyster supper was served.



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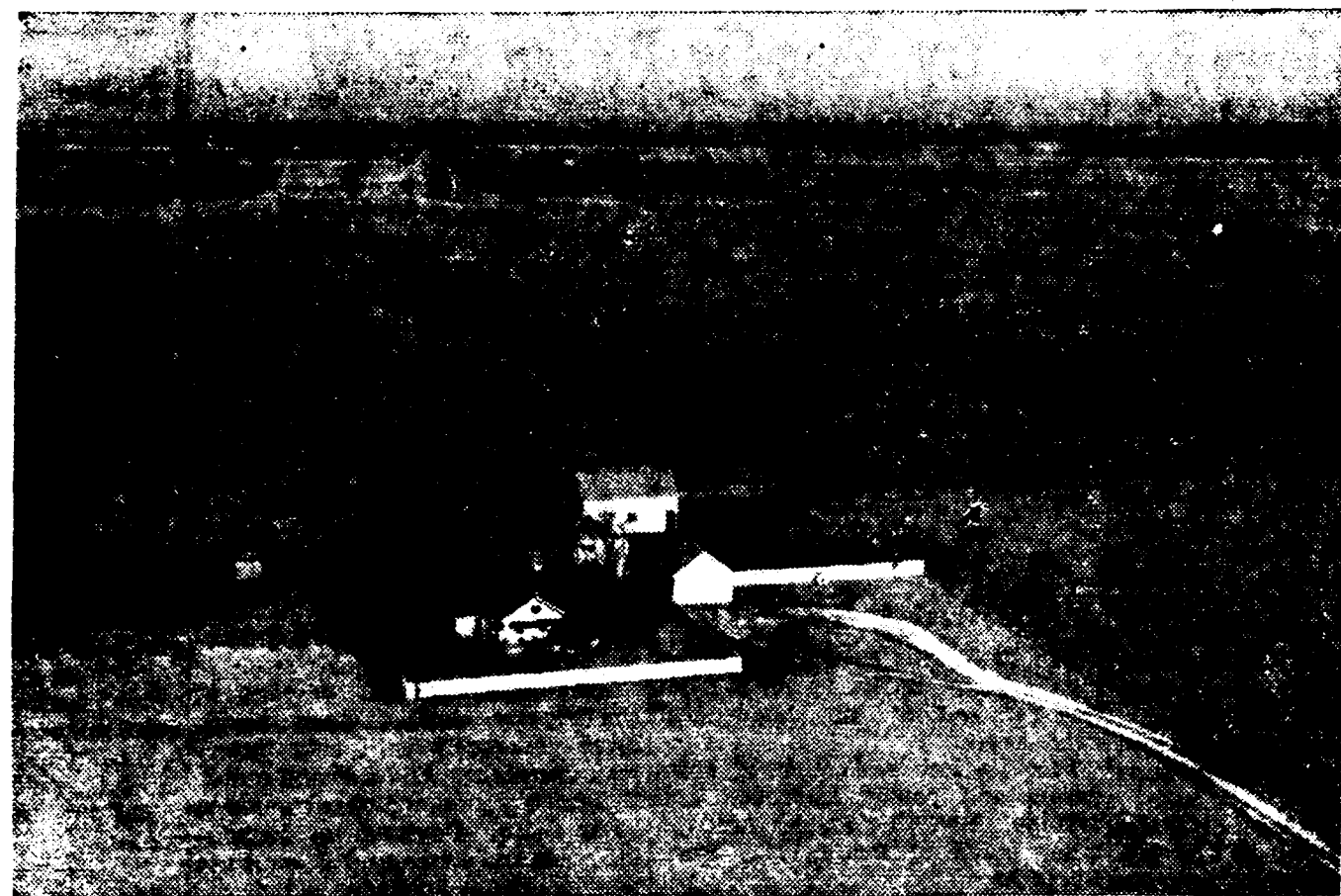
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Ashland Trims Routt 48-39; Jacks Nip Beardstown 34-28

G. Wood's 19 Points Highlights Visitors' Win; Spreen Gets 18

Ashland's Comets proved they're ready to give the district tournament champion a rugged time in the Virginia regional when they mauled Routt 48-39 on the Our Saviour's planks last night.

It was the final home appearance this season for Paul Stroud's Rockets as they must compete in the Meredosia district starting next Tuesday.

Faced by Sonny Loneragan, who socketed two quick baskets, Routt was very much in the ball game for the first five minutes. Stroud saw his last-second athletes go ahead 5-3 and then 7-6 before Gordon Wood

helped Ashland catch fire with some neat under the basket shots and the visitors were off and running.

Ashland headed the locals 12-9 at the cessation of first-quarter hostilities. Routt suffered a very bad second quarter, scoring but five points while the Comets were pulling

away to lead 28-14 at halftime. Wood continued to roll up points for Ashland during the second half. But, A. J. Spreen, Routt's fireball, lived up in the third quarter and dropped in eight points with his long shot, enough to bring the Stroudmen up 41-26 going into the last chapter.

Spreen continued to belt the nets at a hot pace through the fourth period rolling up an 18-point total for the evening. Loneragan came to his aid in the last few minutes and together, the two Rockets managed to outscore Ashland 13-8 in the last chapter.

Ashland racked up 19 tallies for the night. G. Wood scored 19 points, Ashland won at the foul line.

Three Routt hoopers were banished with five fouls. One Ashland athlete, G. Wood, collected five for the winners.

The Ashland seconds turned back Routt's frosh-soph club 26-22 in the preliminary.

The Box Score:
Feature:
Routt FG FT TP
Henry, f. 2 0 4
Casper, f. 1 0 2
Spreen, f. 7 4 18
Saner, c. 1 1 3
Kaufmann, c. 0 1 1
Loneragan, g. 3 3 9
Sellers, g. 1 0 2
Totals 15 9 39

Ashland FG FT TP
G. Wood, f. 19 9 19
Bergschneider, c. 2 6 10
Devlin, g. 2 1 5
W. Wood, g. 2 1 5
Totals 25 15 49

By Quarters:
Ashland 12 28 41 49
Routt 9 14 26 39

Preliminary:
Routt FG FT TP
McGuire, f. 1 0 2
Mullens, f. 1 0 2
Phalen, c. 1 0 2
Murphy, g. 1 1 3
Riley, g. 2 3 7
Totals 6 4 22

Ashland FG FT TP
Ashland 8 6 22
Routt 3 1 7
Totals 11 7 29

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G. A. R. VET HOSPITALIZED
New York, Feb. 17.—(P)—Samuel Bennett, of Miles City, Mont., who says he is 102 years old, was taken to a hospital where early today he was reported suffering from a heart condition.

Bennett said he is Montana's last surviving member of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Washington State College reports the average varsity football player used 132 pairs of athletic socks in his college grid career.

Pittsfield Edges David Prince In Overtime 39-38

A successful gift toss in the last second of the overtime period gave the Pittsfield graders a 39-38 victory over Bill Ward's David Prince youngsters here last night. The score was tied 34-34 at the end of regular playing time.

Scott, David Prince guard, was top gunner in the game, netting 23 tallies. Harrison and Plattner scored 13 each for Pittsfield.

The Pittsfield seconds nipped the DP seventh graders 24-23 in the preliminary.

The Box Score:
David Prince FG FT TP
Jones, f. 4 1 9
Hickox, f. 2 0 4
Ezard, c. 1 0 2
Scott, g. 11 1 23
Bailey, g. 0 0 0
Totals 18 2 38

Pittsfield FG FT TP
Harrison, f. 6 1 13
Smith, f. 1 0 2
Shelton, c. 3 1 7
Plattner, g. 5 3 13
Miller, g. 2 0 4
Totals 17 5 39

By Quarters:
Pittsfield 4 11 39
David Prince 6 11 34-38

Jerseyville Grabs Valley Win From White Hall 66-47

White Hall—Jerseyville strengthened its hold on number-two spot behind Winchester in the Illinois Valley conference by taming host White Hall 66-47 here last night.

Nair, Jerseyville guard, was high scorer with 13 counters. McCathery got 14 for the Maroons.

White Hall's reserves won the curtain raiser 46-40.

The Box Score:
Jerseyville FG FT TP
Legate, f. 6 1 13
Dugger, f. 1 0 2
Shortall, f. 4 1 9
Watson, f. 0 2 2
Freemeyer, c. 5 0 10
Roth, c. 1 1 3
Nair, g. 4 1 8
Kannikan, g. 0 1 1
Reynolds, g. 4 0 8
Totals 28 10 66

White Hall FG FT TP
McCathery, f. 4 6 14
Printy, f. 5 2 12
Campbell, c. 1 1 3
Cox, c. 0 2 2
Ford, g. 5 0 10
Ridings, g. 2 2 6
Totals 17 13 47

By Quarters:
Jerseyville 17 31 43 66
White Hall 12 27 36 47

Officials—Pierce and Johnson, Litchfield.

Illini Host To Michigan Quint Saturday Night

Champaign, Ill.—One of the Big Ten's most closely-contested basketball rivalries will be renewed at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in George Huff gymnasium when Michigan and Illinois clash for the 48th time.

Currently the Illini hold a 24-23 series edge, but the Wolverines have won victories in both 1948 and 1949 and threaten to knot the count this week.

Not since the Senior Whiz Kids staged a terrific second-half rally to win 45-36 at Ann Arbor in 1947 has Illinois been able to defeat Michigan and every Illini letterman remembers the 73-50 pasting which the Wolves handed out in the season's finale last year after Coach Harry Combes' team had clinched the Big Ten crown.

Saturday's battle won't materially affect the 1950 conference race, except that both Illinois and Michigan now must battle for first-divisions rank. The Illini have a 4-4 mark Michigan stands 3-5, having lost to Minnesota Monday as Illinois was absorbing a defeat from Indiana.

Combes must set a defense to halt both height and the hot shooting of Capt. Mack Suprunowicz who ranked third in the Big Ten individual scoring race last year with 178 points.

MURPHY-HENDRIX MARRIAGE FAILS
Hollywood, Feb. 17.—(P)—The Audie Murphy-Wanda Hendrix idyll is over. The little actress is scheduled to file suit for divorce today.

Her attorney, Oscar Cummins, failed in an attempt to reconcile the couple yesterday. He said Miss Hendrix will charge mental cruelty.

The actress, 21, and Murphy, 25, were married 13 months ago, broke up last fall, reconciled briefly but finally decided on divorce. He is the Farmersville, Texas, boy who became World War II's most decorated GI.

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Blueboys Entertain Iowa Wesleyan; ISD Missouri Deaf Tonight

Seeking their 16th victory of the season and their second over the invaders, the Illinois college Blueboys play host to Iowa Wesleyan in one of their final home appearances tonight on the ISD slats.

Illinois School for the Deaf preppers will tangle with Missouri Deaf in a 7:15 p.m. preliminary. The college tussle will get underway at nine o'clock.

The Millermen trounced the Weslenites from Mt. Pleasant, Iowa 68-43 in their second game of the season. However, Al Miller reported on

returning to Illinois that the Iowans suffered a cold night at the hoop and he expects tonight's encounter to be far from an easy go.

The college mentor will probably start the five men who formed the formidable second half combination against Quincy last Monday. If he chooses that combo, BNI Gross and Bob Grove will be at forward posts. Longer at center and Bill Shouse and Dave Billings at the guard posts.

However, he may start either Bob Murrin or Barney Vilk, or both.

"Spikie" Wilson's ISD Tigers, who nosed out Franklin by a single counter Wednesday night, now own a string of 14 victories as slacked against six losses. Wilson will stand by his regular starting lineup of Leo Cecil and Doyle West, forwards, Irvin Carlstedt, center and Eddy Raffel and Gilbert Paul, guards.

Alto Hood, injured sharpshooter, is still resting his knee in preparation for the coming Virginia regional.

IC to IL Wesleyan Monday

The Illinois college cage quintet will make a determined effort to stay in the Little Nine championship race when they invade Bloomington to battle the Titans of Illinois Wesleyan Monday evening.

A victory at Wesleyan is a must for Coach Al Miller's charges. The Titans are currently tied with JMU in the standings with each team boasting a 6-2 CCI card, but the status will be upset tonight when the Wesleyanites and the Big Blue tangle at Kintner gymnasium in Decatur.

The Blueboys still have a mathematical chance to finish in a tie for first place in the league, or even win the league title, but that chance is a slim one; and the least of the things it requires is that they win at Wesleyan Monday.

Though the Millermen walloped Coach Jack Horenberger's Titans 88 to 67 at Jacksonville a month ago, they are sure to have a difficult time repeating the performance Monday. They had their hottest shooting night of the season against the Wesleyan club, and the fact that the Monday game will be played at Bloomington makes a great deal of difference.

Wesleyan's Lane Still Out
Coach Horenberger's crew will still be without the services of 6-6 center John Lane, one of their most dependable early season performers. They will probably have Steve Zebos at the center spot with Fran Somers and Bob Hildbrand at forwards and the Anderson twins at the guards as they were at IC.

Since losing to the Blueboys the Wesleyanites have downed three consecutive Little Nine foes—North Central, Lake Forest and Elmhurst. They subdued the Bluejays and the Foresters on a northern invasion last weekend. Their only conference losses have come at the hands of Wheaton and IC.

New Berlin Clips Divernon 61-40

New Berlin—Nine New Berlin hoopers broke into the scoring column as Pete Warnke's Pretzel gang smothered Divernon 61-40 here last night.

Speaks and Lawrence were high New Berliners, scoring 14 and 13 tallies apiece. Thomas flipped in 17 for the visitors.

The New Berlin seconds won 40-32.

The Box Score:
New Berlin FG FT TP
Lawrence, f. 4 5 13
Speaks, f. 6 2 14
Lewis, f. 0 1 1
Witham, f. 1 1 3
Sullivan, c. 3 4 10
McMurray, c. 1 1 3
Greening, g. 4 3 11
Nichols, g. 0 3 3
Robertson, g. 1 1 3
Totals 20 21 61

Divernon FG FT TP
Watkins, f. 1 1 3
D. Smith, f. 1 2 4
J. Smith, f. 0 0 0
Hay, f. 1 1 3
Thomas, c. 4 3 11
Kline, g. 4 1 5
Crawe, g. 1 1 3
Totals 12 16 40

By Quarters:
New Berlin 15 34 45 61
Divernon 8 20 29 40

Preliminary game:
New Berlin 14 20 27 40
Divernon 2 16 22 32

Officials: Joe Treat, Franklin; Ernest Savage, Jacksonville.

INGRID AND SON LEAVE HOSPITAL
Rome, Feb. 17.—(P)—Ingrid Bergman and her 15-day-old son left the hospital today to take up residence in her apartment in the swank Palladium section of Rome.

This was disclosed by Roberto Rossellini, the Italian film director who registered the baby officially as his son on Sunday. The baby has been named Renato Roberto Giusto Giuseppe Rossellini.

Rossellini was at the wheel of Miss Bergman's big blue Cadillac as it arrived at the hospital door. The actress and her baby, bundled heavily against the chill night air, got into the car with a nurse and sped away.

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Winchester Quint Stays In Ivy Lead With 58-38 Victory

Roodhouse—E. Posey's Winchester Wildcats continued to claw everything in their path, scratching another victory on their Illinois Valley skinn by tamping Roodhouse 58-38 here last night.

Drummond scored 17 and Hoots 13 for Winchester. Copley was high Roodhouse basket-maker with 12 points.

The Winchester seconds won 52-44.

The Box Score:
Winchester FG FT TP
Andell, f. 2 2 6
Drummond, f. 8 1 17
Cummings, c. 4 1 9
Hoots, g. 6 1 13
Northrup, g. 2 3 7
Peak, g. 1 0 2
Marshall, g. 1 0 2
Carringer, g. 1 0 2
Totals 25 8 58

Roodhouse FG FT TP
Copley, f. 4 12 26
Bell, f. 1 0 2
Gonterman, c. 4 0 8
Hutton, g. 0 1 1
Ransom, g. 2 0 4
Stauffer, g. 4 0 8
Myers, g. 1 1 3
Totals 16 6 38

By Quarters:
Winchester 14 18 36 58
Roodhouse 9 16 26 38

Officials—Plummer and Spurgeon, Alton.

Disclose Time For State Prep Cage Playoffs

Champaign, Ill.—Time schedule of the 1950 Illinois State High School basketball tournament has been established by announcement of brackets for sectional winners by Albert Willis, executive secretary of IHSA.

First game of the tourney will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, March 16, pitting winners of Chicago eliminations and the Moline sectional. The complete tournament schedule follows:

Thursday, March 16
10 a.m. Game 1—Chicago champion vs. Moline winner
Game 2—Waukegan winner vs. Bridgeport winner
1:45 p.m. Game 3—Rockford (West) winner vs. Casey winner
Game 4—Centralla winner vs. Peoria (Woodruff) winner
Game 5—Quincy winner vs. Springfield winner
6:45 p.m. Game 6—LaSalle winner vs. St. Louis winner
Game 7—Urbana winner vs. Macomb (Western) winner
Game 8—Marion winner vs. Joliet winner

Friday, March 17
1:45 p.m. Game 9—Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2
Game 10—Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4
7:30 p.m. Game 11—Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6
Game 12—Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8
Saturday, March 18
1:15 p.m. Game 13—Winner Game 9 vs. Winner Game 10
Game 14—Winner Game 11 vs. Winner Game 12
7:30 p.m. Game 15—Loser Game 13 vs. Loser Game 14 (Consolation for Third Place)
Game 16—Winner Game 13 vs. Winner Game 14 (Championship)

SUSPEND CLASSES AT ST. BEDE'S
Peru, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Classes at St. Bede Junior College and Academy will be suspended today until "at least" Feb. 27 because of a fuel shortage resulting from the coal strike.

The school has an enrollment of about 350 local and boarding students in addition to a staff of 50 priests and 13 nuns. Father David Duncan, the school's rector, said all boarding students would return to their homes until the emergency is over.

CRUSHED BY CRANE
Danville, Ill., Feb. 17.—(P)—Woodrow D. Williams, 36-year-old Crane operator, was killed yesterday when a 17-ton crane overturned and crushed him. The crane was being loaded on a trailer at a strip mine at Grape Creek, five miles southeast of Danville.

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Tiger Stall Fails As Crimson Retain Striped Jug Trophy

Beardstown—Combating an effective Beardstown stall, John Chapman's Jacksonville high school Crimson five managed to eke out a 34-28 victory over Nick Carter's Tigermen here last night.

Playing for the striped jug which the Jacks won by a decisive score early in the season, Beardstown attempted to hold the ball and settle for a low-score rather than to try and run with the Jacks.

However, steady scoring by six Crimson athletes changed the complexion of Carter's plans and the Jacks led all the way, though not by much, to retain the Jug.

Seward, Beardstown center, did all the scoring for the river-five. He racked up 18 points. Jarvey Meyers' nine tallies topped the balanced Jacksonville scoring.

Jim Beck scored 26 points in the preliminary and paced Bob Kraus' Jacksonville youngsters to a 27-57 win.

The Box Score:
Jacksonville FG FT TP
Williams, f. 3 0 6
Meyers, f. 3 3 9
Chapman, f. 2 2 6
Baldwin, f. 0 0 0
Rhodes, c. 1 1 3
Wright, g. 2 2 6
Kemp, g. 2 0 4
Totals 13 8 34

Beardstown FG FT TP
Krohe, f. 1 1 3
Best, f. 1 1 3
Seward, c. 9 0 18
Steele, g. 0 1 1
Moore, g. 1 1 3
Totals 12 4 28

By Quarters:
Jacksonville 12 18 23 34
Beardstown 8 16 19 28

Officials—R. K. Wilson of Greenfield.

Chambersburg Noses Out Hardin Quintet 50-49

Chambersburg—Eldon Atwood's boys from the Burg got into condition for the upcoming district tournament by taking a hair-raising 50-49 basket decision from invading Hardin here last night.

Pool was top man on the Chambersburg score book, racking up 20 points. Kiser got 15 for Hardin.

The Chambersburg second team garnered a 31-23 preliminary contest.

The Box Score:
Chambersburg FG FT TP
Hamm, f. 4 2 10
Pool, f. 8 4 20
B. Gordley, f. 3 0 6
J. Gordley, c. 1 1 3
Downey, g. 1 6 8
Chute, g. 1 1 3
Totals 18 14 50

Hardin FG FT TP
Ducey, f. 6 0 12
Chuchman, f. 4 6 16
Kinsler, c. 5 5 15
Snider, g. 1 2 4
Totals 17 15 49

By Quarters:
Chambersburg 11 26 36 50
Hardin 13 22 37 49

Officials—McDonald, Meredosia and Cannon, Mt. Sterling.

MURDER CHARGE
Roanoke, Va., Feb. 17.—(P)—Blood-stained shoes and human hair on the soles led to the arrest of a war veteran in the slaying of his 50-year-old mother, Detective Captain Frank H. Webb said today.

Clarence Decker, 24, was charged with murder yesterday shortly after the body of his mother, Mrs. Nettie Decker, was found on the kitchen floor of her apartment, Webb said.

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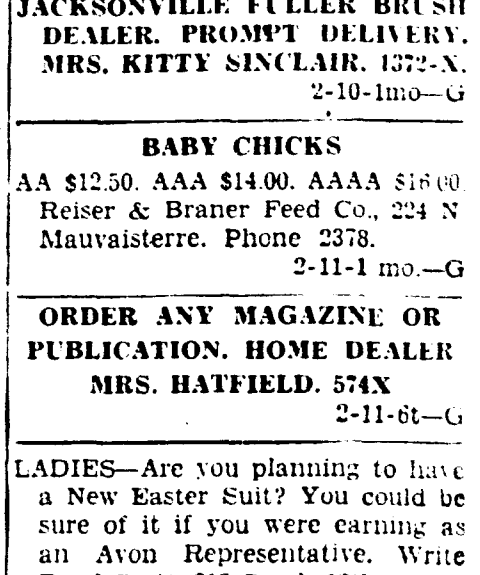
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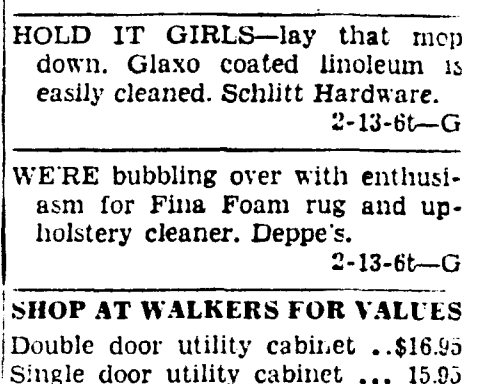


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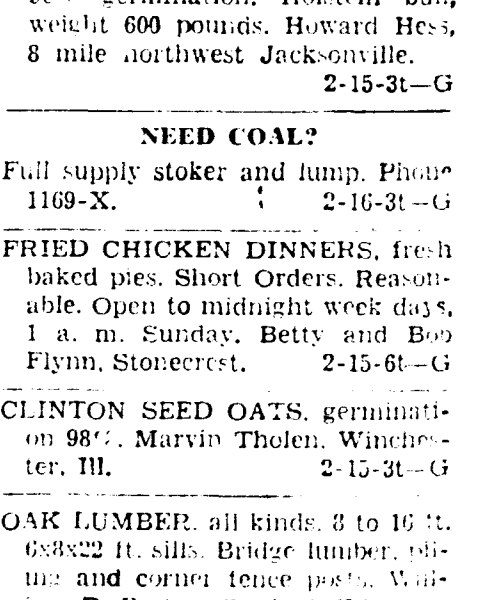
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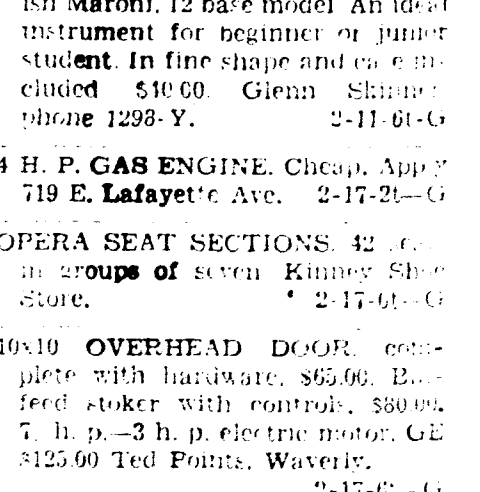
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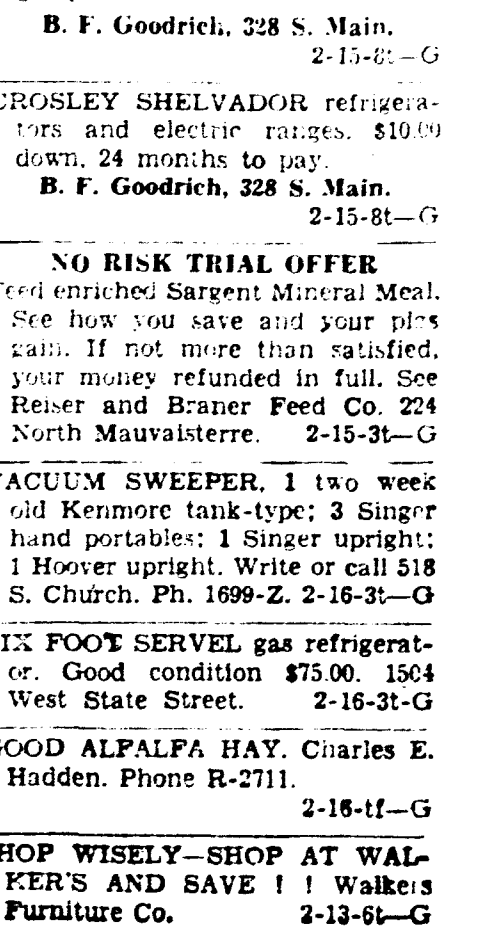
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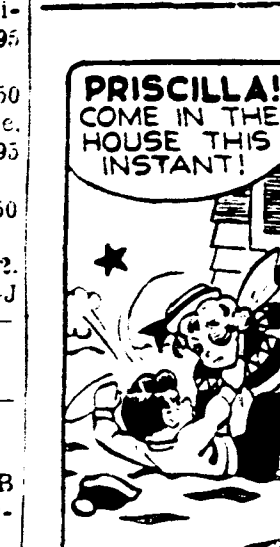
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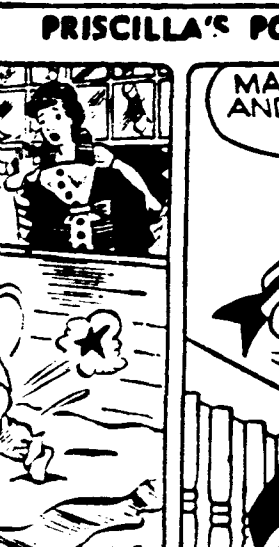
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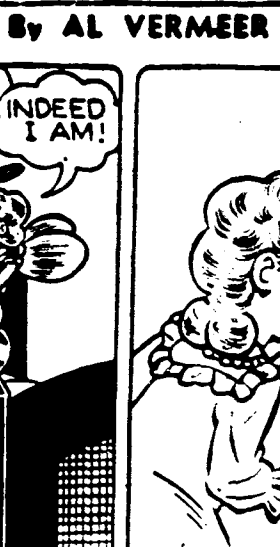
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Musical Instrument

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Depicted musical instrument
- 8 It has a curved body
- 13 Retaliation
- 14 Gold measure
- 15 Era
- 16 Stop
- 18 Note of Guido's scale
- 19 Paving material
- 20 Eagle's nest
- 21 High mountain
- 22 Suffix
- 23 1d. (ab.)
- 24 Plant
- 27 Covers
- 29 Behold!
- 30 Near
- 31 While
- 32 Compass point
- 33 Horse's neck hairs
- 35 Woody plant
- 38 Hypothetical force
- 39 Centigram (ab.)
- 40 Father
- 42 At no time
- 47 Container
- 48 Self esteem
- 49 Puff up
- 50 Before
- 51 Is borne
- 53 Poems
- 55 Middles
- 56 Lasts

VERTICAL

- 1 Cases
- 2 Representative
- 3 State
- 4 Concerning
- 5 Peruvian
- 6 Curved
- 7 Close
- 8 Travel on snow
- 9 Laughter
- 10 Superficial extent
- 11 Wan
- 12 Storehouses
- 15 Chinese river
- 16 Dash
- 26 Prescribed amount
- 27 Endure
- 28 Brain passage
- 33 It is seldom used in times
- 34 Slow (music)
- 36 Card game
- 37 Exit
- 41 Extinct bird
- 42 Cape
- 43 Hebrew deity
- 44 Urn
- 45 Famous English school
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End of a Chapter
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THE STORY: Alice Pine, secretary to Muriel Halleck, who writes popular stories under the name of "Jo Paigrove," suspects Muriel's husband Brent of cruelty to Rick, his four-year-old adopted son. Although Alice cannot forgive Muriel, she is irresistibly drawn to Brent. One night Muriel sees Brent take Alice in his arms. But Muriel does not seem to be disturbed. Brent goes away to take an advertising job. One week later Muriel goes to New York to see her literary agent, leaving Alice alone. Brent turns up unexpectedly. He asks Alice to go sailing with him, but Alice refuses, feeling she should wait for him. Alice realizes Brent is unhappy and tells him she hates to see him so. Brent asks "Why," Alice replies, "Because I like you." She had meant her words to sound casual, but her voice betrays her.

XXIII

ALICE's voice had betrayed her, definitely. And Brent Halleck caught her in his arms. Alice's hands came up instinctively, pressed against his chest. Pressed once, and then dismayingly the strength went out of them. "You like me?" It was a swift hoarse whisper as Brent repeated Alice Pine's words. Her lips, raised and parted, were too close. Brent's head bent. It was a rough, hard kiss. Its very roughness brought Alice to her senses. She pushed him away, but his fingers clung to one arm. Bit into it, hurt it. "I asked you something," he said, unsteadily. "You haven't answered."

Had he let her go, even slackened that painful grip, she might have said something entirely different. But the fingers remained, digging inexorably into soft flesh. And, all at once, came the remembrance of another arm, mottled with blue bruises. And with it, a more disturbing recollection. The other rolling, black sky torn by peals of vivid lightning. "No, Brent!" Strange how a repulsion she had thought long gone could swarm back. "I—

couldn't. Ever. I said I liked you. I do, when I shouldn't. When it doesn't make sense. But..." She stopped, aware of spilling words wildly.

Brent's eyes seemed to cut at her. "Why, Alice? I have to know why."

She had herself under control now. "It would be better, Brent, if you didn't make me tell you."

"Why?"

Once she had wanted to tell him; make him flinch at the accusation. But now she seemed able to manage nothing but an almost indistinct mumble. "Because of something that happened. Something I wish I'd never seen. The night of that awful storm. I like you as a friend, Brent. But I can't forget—that. And it would spoil any—anything else."

Brent's fingers left her arm. He backed away. But his eyes were down.

"I see," he said softly. "Okay, Alice. If that's how you feel."

"Well, how else could I possibly..."

But she spoke to nothing. Brent Halleck had gone.

Then Alice remembered that it was nearly time to meet Muriel Halleck's train.

MURIEL all but fell into Alice's arms on the station platform. She looked wild, even to the elfin hat, which had looked so perky and trim that morning. "Oh, what a day! Don't ask me a single thing tonight, Alice. I'm just not up to it. Tomorrow I'll catch you up on all the dirt."

Alice, her mind still a whirlpool, didn't ask questions. But Sunday was well advanced before she and Muriel were alone again.

Muriel and Brent spent the morning in the study. They emerged for a midday dinner at which Muriel was gay and Brent unusually talkative. But Muriel did not refer to her business on the previous day. If Alice thought she's trying to keep me in sus-

pense, she's succeeding beautifully.

After dinner Alice retired to her own room. With a family conclave on, it seemed the discreet move. She read a while, but presently fell asleep. It was nearly evening before she went downstairs again.

Muriel was arranging flowers in the living room. "Well, Alice!" She stepped back, inspecting a vase critically. "At last, we're around to you and me."

"Oh," Alice said, "there's no hurry."

"Well, Brent and I are talked out. Beyond that, he's gone."

Alice controlled a start. There was every reason why Brent should have left without seeing her. But she had been silly enough to think that he wouldn't—today.

"You mean he's gone back to Providence?"

"Presumably. Sit down, Alice, and—forget Brent."

ALICE gave her a sharp look. She had the uneasy feeling that Muriel had been about to add something else and changed her mind at the last second.

Instead, she waited for Alice to seat herself on the divan and then Muriel sat down beside her. Muriel fairly beamed. She was anxious to tell Alice something that she thought Alice wanted to hear.

Muriel said: "Hold your hat, Alice! You've got yourself a job in California, if you want it."

"Yes," Alice jumped. "California?"

"You, California. Oh, Alice!" Muriel kicked up her heels wildly like a hoyden. "I've hit the jackpot. Pat and I had company yesterday. A very charming man named Alec Crowther. Does that ring any bells?"

Alice nodded. "Isn't he some terrific Hollywood person?"

"Just about the biggest of the big brass in Ganz-Phenix Pictures. Smack me down, Alice, if I start sounding big-headed. But, according to Pat, this Alec Crowther flew all the way to New York just to see 'Little Jo.' Muriel chuckled reminiscently. "That's what he calls me, 'Little Jo' Paigrove."

(To Be Continued)

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



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2-17

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Scott Farm Bureau To Stage Two Day Membership Drive

Winchester—The Scott county Farm Bureau has planned a two day membership drive which will begin with a breakfast to be served at 7 a.m. Tuesday morning, at the Hotel Winchester. The kick-off speaker, Paul Powell, district supervisor of the State Farm Bureau Insurance, will give instructions to the group of workers who will canvass the county for new members. L. B. Hornbeck, district organization director, will also attend the kick-off meeting. The idea of the two day drive is to add 50 new members to the ranks of the present organization. Their motto is "Fifty in Fifty." The drive will close Wednesday evening with an oyster stew which will be served at the B&J Cafe.

Roof Fire Friday

The Winchester voluntary fire department was called out at 4:05 p.m. Friday by a roof fire of a one-car garage belonging to Everett Marshall. The garage is located in the rear of Marshall home on South Main. The fire was quickly extinguished, with only slight damage to the garage.

Programs For Fund

The Scott county March of Dimes campaign is still in full progress. Miss Hester Kory, chairman, stated that up Feb. 17, the sum of \$1,431.40 had been received.

The schools of Scott County have donated \$236.33. On the evening of Feb. 21 at 8 p.m. the faculty of the Winchester high school and the employees of the Campbell Brothers garage will meet in the Winchester high school gym in a benefit basketball game.

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The programs will contain such numbers as baton specials, tap dance numbers, vocal numbers, a military dance, the Manchester trio consisting of an accordion, Hawaiian guitar and Spanish guitar, songs by the P. D. Sisters, a comedian act, and various other numbers.

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Alfred Bealey of Santa Monica, Calif., was a recent visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bealey, and brother, Bernard, and family. He had been attending a union meeting in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schoessler of Chicago are the parents of a daughter born Wednesday morning at the home of Miss Mildred Andres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Andres. Mrs. Andres is visiting in Chicago.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Tucker and son, Jimmie Lee of Chenoa, and Lee Chesno of Belts, Tenn., and Rev. Herman Butts of Memphis, Tenn., were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Rev. and Mrs. James Tucker.

Mrs. Harry Gensdorfer is visiting relatives in Kansas City and her brother, Fred Halbur, who is a patient at Veterans' Hospital in Wadsworth, Kans.

Plans are being made for the entertainment of the Athenian Toastmasters club of Jacksonville on March 24. A potluck supper is being planned after which the club will put on one of their regular meetings. The affair is sponsored by the Family Night of the Bluffs Methodist church and the public is cordially invited. Further plans will be announced later.

Union Lenten services for Bluffs are being planned by the pastors of the Methodist and Lutheran churches. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hatfield are enjoying a ten day vacation in Florida.

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I.C. REPRESENTATIVE AT WICHITA INAUGURAL

Charles M. Capps will be the official delegate of Illinois College at the inauguration of Harry F. Corbin, 33-year-old educator, as seventh president of the Municipal University of Wichita at Wichita, Kan., on March 9.

Invitations for the inaugural have gone to 375 colleges and universities in 48 states and Hawaii. Every college and university in Kansas has been asked to send delegates for the ceremony.

Home Talent Play March 10 Planned By Virginia Legion

Virginia—At the regular meeting of the Legion held Wednesday, plans were outlined for the home talent play to be given on Friday, March 10 in the high school gymnasium.

The play has been written and will be directed and given by home talent. Directors will be Mrs. Franklin Watkins and Miss Catherine Collins. The title is "Style Show and Womanless Wedding."

The committee co-chairmen for this play are Russell Decker and Richard Jumper. Members of this committee include James Frison, Bill Wallbaum, Allen Dirreen, Virgil Mallicoat, Elmer Branham, John Byus, Dwight Edwards and William Rosser.

Laymen Plan Dinner

Plans for a dinner for men to be held March 7 were initiated Tuesday night at a meeting of the Laymen's Commission of three Virginia Churches. Further announcement as to the place and the speaker for the dinner will be made next week. Three ministers present at the meeting, Rev. T. Chandler Burton, Rev. Henry Higgins and Rev. George H. Wilson, were appointed as a program committee.

Other churches of this area have been invited to send representatives to the next meeting, at the Coffee Shop at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday. R. A. Dirreen, chairman of the commission, will preside.

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Standing are: Harold E. Cockin, Alexander; Harold Weber, Chapin; A. J. Bergsneider, Franklin; Lawrence Mallicoat, Litterberry; Chester A. Thomson, Chapin; Harold D. Karim, Franklin; Harry E. Doolin, Route 2, Jacksonville; Oliver Cromwell, Route 6, Jacksonville; Albert Nienhiser, Chapin; James Anderson, Chapin; Harold L. Stewart, Ashland; R. E. Stocker, Murrayville; Floyd Goodpasture, Concord.

Board members unable to attend the meeting were Richard Sayer of Franklin and Byron Sheppard of Waverly.

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Lyle Bates played an organ solo, "The Last Spring," and also accompanied Mrs. Wendell Brackett who sang "I Love You Truly."

Melvin Dalhaus, school band director, presented Max Edlen who modeled the new band uniform, to which fund the club had made a contribution.

Roy Hapke of Jacksonville spoke to the group on "Abstracts and Ties." During the business session with Mrs. John Pine, president, presiding contributions were made to the Heart Fund, and Occupational Therapy Fund and reports made by various committees.

The election of officers for the coming club year was held with the following results. President, Mrs. John Pine; vice president, Mrs. John Pine; recording secretary, Mrs. Wayne Halsey; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Oliver Chambers; and treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Hart.

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